



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5314

LCO No. 737



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:
REP. HAINES, 34th Dist.

AN ACT PROHIBITING THE RELEASE OF HELIUM BALLOONS INTO THE ATMOSPHERE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 26-25c of the general statutes be amended to prohibit
- 2 the intentional release of helium or any lighter-than-air balloons.

Statement of Purpose:

To address the environmental harm caused to Long Island Sound and other waterways from the intentional release of helium balloons.